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 Applicant : MAXWELL, Christopher T.
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 Examiner : LAM, Tuan Thieu
 Docket No. : TI-36943
 Customer No. : 23494
 For : POWER EFFICIENCY CONTROL OUTPUT BUFFER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TRANSMITTAL FORM

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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Applicant is other than a small entity.

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for other total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 120.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 330.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 570.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$ 570.00

Fee \$

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefore.

An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

OR

(b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims		Minus	16	= 0	x \$18 =	\$ 0
Independent Claims		Minus	4	= 0	x \$86 =	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMOUNT						\$ 0

(c) No additional fee for claims is required.

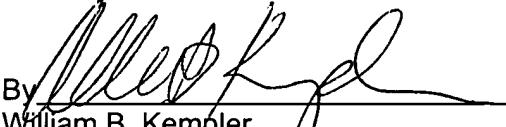
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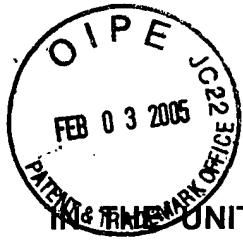
(d) Total additional fee for claims required \$ -0-

FEE PAYMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Drawings are on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.